

THE YEAR AT SHARON



ANNUAL REPORT

General Statement

The Sanatorium

Established and incorporated in 1891.

Object: To supply a suitable institution for the treatment of incipient pulmonary disease arising in women of refinement and limited means.

Capacity: 32 patients.

Location: In the pines at Sharon about five minutes' from the station of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R.R. Sharon is about equally distant from Boston and Providence—19 miles from Boston.

Terms: The price of board and medical care is \$20.00 a week, exclusive of laundry.

The Grounds: The Sanatorium grounds cover 120 acres—the elevation and outlook are most desirable. Pure air is abundant.

Food: No pains nor expense are spared to provide the patients with the most nourishing diet.

The Children's Pavilion and Open Air Boarding School

Established in 1918 through the generosity of friends.

Object: To extend to delicate children, predisposed to tuberculosis, a chance to regain normal health. No active cases are received.

Capacity: 20 children between the ages of 6 and 14 years.

Location: On the edge of the woods at some distance from the main buildings of the Sanatorium, a really ideal site.

Terms: \$15 a week, exclusive of laundry. This includes board and medical care other than dental and surgical treatment.

Studies: These are made as flexible as possible. Every advantage is given the individual. Classes and grades, however, are planned according to the standard of the best public schools, with a view to the pupil's keeping up with his grade.

Sessions: The morning session is devoted to upper grade work and the afternoon session to the lower grade.

Leisure Time: Handicraft work, with merry games and outings, are under the oversight of a well-qualified teacher.

Rest Periods and Meals: These are ample and are carefully attended to by a trained nurse and a dietitian, with the advice of the doctor.

VISITING HOURS

The visiting hours of either department are from 3 to 5 p. m. daily.

Important

The charges made to patients of the Sanatorium or of the Children's Pavilion do not cover the expense of maintenance.

While this is not a commercial enterprise, neither is it a charity in the usual sense, but, like the privileges of our colleges, these are benefits which self-respecting families may accept.

Applications for admission should be made to the Superintendent, Dr. Walter A. Griffin, at the Sanatorium, or to Dr. Vincent Y. Bowditch, Medical Director, 506 Beacon Street, or Dr. Edwin A. Locke, Associate Medical Director, 311 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.

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Dec. 1, 1926 — Nov. 30, 1927

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OFFICERS OF THE
SHARON SANATORIUM
[LEGAL TITLE]

FOR THE YEAR ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1928

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Associate Medical Director

EDWIN A. LOCKE, M.D.

Superintendent

WALTER A. GRIFFIN, M.D.



SHARON SANATORIUM FROM THE SOUTHEAST
(*From a photograph taken by Edwin A. Locke, M.D.*)



THE CHILDREN'S PAVILION AND OPEN AIR BOARDING SCHOOL

DIRECTORS' REPORT

AS an introduction to our annual report, it is not claiming too much to say that the educational effect of sanatoria where hygienic methods of life are constantly being taught has been a large factor in the reduction in the death rate from tuberculosis during the last quarter of a century, especially in the last decade. This disease, which formerly headed the mortality list, now has been placed in the fourth, possibly the fifth rank in its fatal results; all of which encourages us to further endeavor. Notwithstanding the astonishing development in methods of meeting the tuberculosis problem, whether it be by the establishment of hospitals for the advanced cases, of dispensaries, of treatment in the home, in social service work, "Industrial Colonies," or whatever, the necessity for properly regulated sanatoria for the early hopeful cases is of paramount importance as one great link in the chain of our different methods of combating the disease.

To speak more concretely, each year that passes shows more and more convincingly the value of the Sharon Sanatorium as a resort where women who are already victims of tuberculosis as well as children who are threatened with it, can be restored to health and live active, useful lives afterwards. Proofs of this are being given constantly through letters from former patients, some of them having graduated from the Sanatorium over thirty years ago.

It is gratifying to notice, also, the apparently unique place which our institution holds in the community. In spite of the fact that large state and county sanatoria exist in Massachusetts, a markedly large number apply who seem to need the greater privacy of our institution, where accommodations can be had for reasonable prices

which, although far below the cost of each patient, are necessarily higher than in public institutions.

In regard to plans for further development: during the coming year we are to build a set of seven dressing-rooms, adjoining a large sleeping balcony, which will be used chiefly for patients who are on the road to recovery and who do not need the close supervision necessary at first, but who will have medical supervision and treatment in quarters that can be supplied at a somewhat lower rate than in other parts of the building. This department will be especially beneficial to those who, in consequence of a long stay, feel it necessary to leave earlier than is thought wise because of financial difficulties. This plan when carried out will, therefore, materially add to the usefulness of the sanatorium.

The increasing popularity of the Children's Department is another very gratifying feature of our work. The "Pavilion," which is quite separate but within convenient distance from the Women's Department, has been filled during the year, at times even having had more than the full quota of patients. We still have the satisfaction of being in touch with the Cambridge Anti-tuberculosis Association, which keeps six of our children's beds filled, and the results obtained have been a great source of satisfaction to those in charge of both Associations. This increase in popularity is in many cases due to the influence of those who, having seen in their own children the beneficial effects produced by life at the "Pavilion," urge others to do likewise. The medical profession also is waking up to the paramount importance of giving special care to children who are showing signs of debility, lack of growth, and other abnormal symptoms, forerunners of trouble later, especially when seen in tubercular families. To see the pale, tired, ill, and unhappy children who come to Sharon begin to brighten, and finally enter fully into the spirit of the place, is an inspiring sight. The open-air school for

general instruction in various grades, and out-door classes for teaching useful crafts, and the "posture clinics" all combined, to say nothing of the motherly care given by the Matron and her assistants, serve quickly to make a metamorphosis in the general aspect and health of the little invalids who enter the sanatorium, the victims of poor, unhygienic surroundings in which they have been exposed to tuberculosis in the family and are beginning to show the symptoms of a condition which, unless prompt measures are adopted, often serves as a foundation of disease later in life.

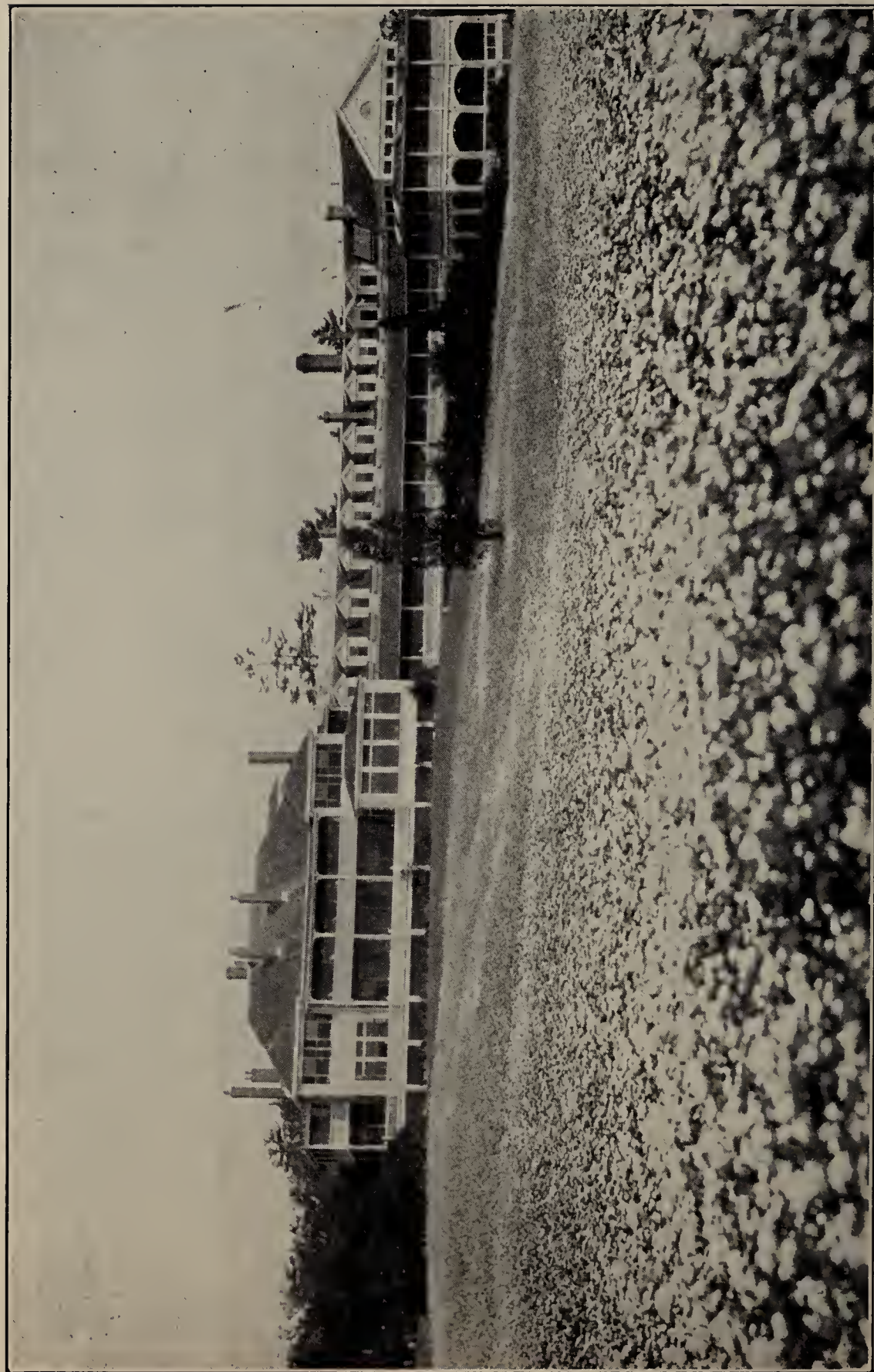
In the Women's Department, the proceeds of the free-bed fund have been devoted to the needs of two patients who needed prolonged special treatment which would not have been possible had the beneficial help through this fund not been forthcoming. That others may be induced to create similar funds is our desire and hope.

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YES, THIS IS THE SCHOOL UNIFORM IN COLD WEATHER
The instruction is personal, faults and bad study habits are corrected



THIS COMMODIOUS SANATORIUM IS FULLY OCCUPIED BY YOUNG WOMEN PATIENTS

We are building on seven more rooms, for convalescents
(In the foreground may be seen our fine crop of buckwheat)

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT FOR 1927

THE year has been a successful one from almost all points of view. The beds have been filled practically at all times and usually there have been one or two cases waiting for a chance to enter the women's department.

The Children's Pavilion has run to capacity the whole year and we have for short periods set up one or two extra beds in the ward to accommodate an occasional case in excess of our normal capacity.

The buildings are in excellent condition and they have been painted on the outside during the summer. About the average amount of repairing has been necessary. The largest item of expense again is for plumbing. For new construction, a hen house has been built and a vegetable cellar has been made by the side of the barn.

Early this autumn we began classes for the children in "rhythmic exercises" conducted by instructors from the Florence Fleming Noyes School of Rhythm. Too short a time has elapsed to enable us to make any exact deductions as to the value of this drill. Miss Dalzell, the instructor in charge, has taken pictures of the children to show the faulty postures assumed by them as they attempt to stand erect. She intends to take other pictures some time later for comparison. In other classes that she has had elsewhere, postures have improved to a striking degree, and it is hoped that the results at the Pavilion will be equally good. The children as a rule are much interested in this new diversion, and it seems justifiable to give this method of treatment a thorough trial. The "drill work" is not too strenuous for any person who is able to take exercise and is there-

fore safe for the children and is an advantage in that they are not so prone to overdo as in ordinary play.

In the endeavor to curb further the natural instincts for strenuous running and jumping that often work disastrously in hilum tuberculosis the work of the occupational teacher is of great value. The children apparently enjoy this work and have made, under the teacher's direction, many useful and ornamental articles. This work is self-supporting except for the salary of the teacher, since the sale of baskets and other things made by the children pays for all materials.

The farm has yielded particularly well this year, and we shall doubtless have enough root-crops to carry us through the winter. The hens and the pigs are also apparently yielding a profit.

Quite the most important addition to the work at the Sanatorium will be the changes made in the former "treatment room" to accommodate seven more patients, in the form of cubicles or dressing-rooms in connection with a large sleeping balcony. This addition seems to be necessary because of the applications that have been made for accommodations during the last few years, and, furthermore, the decreased cost will prove a boon to many patients who should remain but who cannot continue to pay the full amount that we have to charge for the ordinary rooms. This addition will be made chiefly for definitely convalescent cases; exceptionally, for any strictly incipient case which does not need bed treatment at the outset.

WALTER A. GRIFFIN, M.D.
Superintendent.

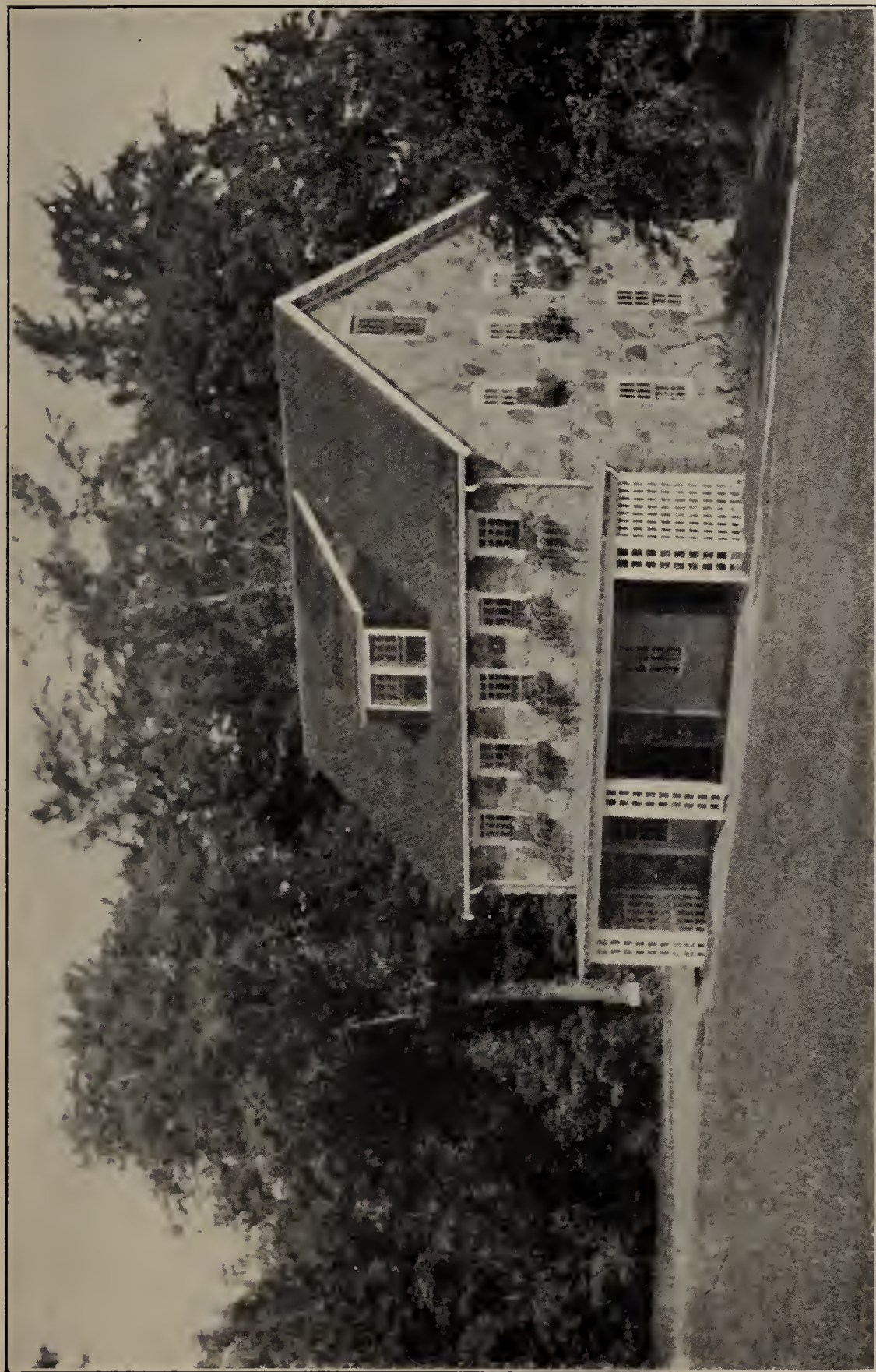
TABULAR VIEW 1927

No.	Condition	Symptoms	Extent of Physical Signs (Turban)		Dura- tion of Disease	General Condition	Digestion	Range of Pulse	Max. Temp.	T.B.		Complica- tions	Tuberculin. Variety; Number of Days and Doses; Highest Dose in Grams
			Each Lung	Both Lungs						Previous Residence			
1514	A Moderately advanced D Arrested	A P ₂ R ₂	R.L. R.L.	II II	1 mo. 19 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	72-84 76-92	99.2 98.6	+	+	0	
1515	A Moderately advanced D Arrested	B P ₂ R ₂	L. L.	II II	5 mos. 19 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	100-112 96-104	100.4 98.4	+	+	+	
1539	A Moderately advanced D Arrested	A P ₂ R ₂	R.L. R.L.	II II	2 mos. 9 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	72-84 76-88	99.2 98.6	0	0	0	Pleural effusion
1546	A Minimal P ₂ R ₁ D Arrested	A P ₂ R ₁	R.L. R.L.	I I	1 mo. 6 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	80-104 80-92	99.2 98.6	0	0	0	Test + (0.01 gm.)
1560	A Minimal P ₁ R ₁ D Arrested	A P ₁ R ₁	R.L. R.L.	I I	1 mo. 7 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	72-80 72-82	98.6 98.4	0	0	0	Glands left axilla
1463	A Moderately advanced D Arrested	A P ₂ R ₂	R.L. R.L.	II II	24 mos. 46 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	88-100 70-92	99.4 99.2	0	0	0	118 days 30 doses 0.001 gm
1571	A Moderately advanced D Arrested	B P ₂ R ₂	L. L.	II II	9 mos. 16 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	92-112 76-90	101.8 98.8	+	+	0	447 days 94 doses 0.5 gm.

7 cases arrested.

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			Each Lung	Both Lungs						Previous	Residence		
1512	A D	Moderately advanced Apparently arrested	P ₂ R ₂	B B	R.L. R.L.	II II	3 mos. 16 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	84-96 76-90	99.8 98.8	+	+
1517	A D	Moderately advanced Apparently arrested	P ₂ R ₂	A A	R.L. R.L.	II II	6 mos. 18 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	82-96 80-84	99.2 98.6	0 0	0 0
1541	A D	Moderately advanced Apparently arrested	P ₁ R ₁	A A	R. R.	I I	5 mos. 9 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	72-84 72-84	98.6 98.4	+	+
1544	A D	Moderately advanced Apparently arrested	P ₂ R ₂	A A	R.L. R.L.	II II	7 mos. 13 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	96-104 80-100	99 98.6	+	0
1545	A D	Moderately advanced Apparently arrested	P ₁ R ₁	A A	R. R.	I I	9 mos. 12 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	64-90 90-100	99 98.4	+	0
1547	A D	Moderately advanced Apparently arrested	P ₂ R ₂	A A	R.L. R.L.	II II	12 mos. 18 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	68-86 68-86	98.4 98.2	0 0	0 0
1548	A D	Moderately advanced Apparently arrested	P ₂ R ₂	A A	R.L. R.L.	II II	1 mo. 4 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	80-100 88-96	99.6 98.8	0 0	0 0
1549	A D	Moderately advanced Apparently arrested	P ₂ R ₂	A A	R.L. R.L.	II II	12 mos. 17 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	76-88 84-96	100.4 99	+	+
1555	A D	Minimal P ₁ R ₁ Apparently arrested		A A	R. R.	I I	19 mos. 4 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	70-82 68-72	98.4 98	0 0	0 0
1563	A D	Minimal P ₁ R ₁ Apparently arrested		A A	R.L. R.L.	I I	2 mos. 6 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	80-96 80-92	99 98.8	0 0	0 0
1574	A D	Minimal P ₁ R ₁ Apparently arrested		A A	R.L. R.L.	I I	1 mo. 7 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	70-92 80-92	99 98.6	0 0	0 0
1578	A D	Minimal P ₁ R ₁ Apparently arrested		A A	L. L.	I I	8 mos. 11 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	84-92 72-80	99 99.2	0 0	0 0
1580	A D	Moderately advanced Apparently arrested	P ₂ R ₂	A A	R. R.	II II	10 mos. 14 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	84-92 80-88	98.8 99	+	0
1581	A D	Minimal P ₁ R ₁ Apparently arrested		A A	R. R.	I I	3 mos. 7 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	72-80 80-84	98.6 98.6	0 0	0 0
1587	A D	Minimal P ₁ R ₁ Apparently arrested		A A	R. R.	I I	5 mos. 9 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	68-84 70-80	98.6 98.8	0 0	0 0

15 cases apparently arrested.



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MEDICAL REPORT FOR 1927

Full capacity of Sanatorium (including Children's Pavilion) . .	45
Number of patients admitted since December 1926	62
Number of patients discharged during the year	58

OF those discharged during the year seven stayed less than one month, one did not react to a full dose of tuberculin and sixteen were cases discharged from the Children's Pavilion. The latter will be considered later. This leaves thirty-four cases of adult tuberculosis, and of these there were during the year:

*Arrested	7	—20.6%
†Apparently arrested	15	—44.1%
Quiescent	5	—14.7%
Improved	4	—11.8%
Unimproved	3	— 8.8%
	34	

The number of patients who had tubercle bacilli in sputa was .	20
The number of patients who had a positive tuberculin reaction was	1
The number of patients in whom the physical signs were deemed sufficient for diagnosis was	13
The number of patients who had hemoptysis before entrance or during stay was	20
Average stay of all cases	6.9 months
Longest stay of any case	22 months
Shortest stay of any case	1 month
Average gain in weight of all cases	10.3 pounds
Number of cases who lost weight	5
Average age of all cases	28.5 years
Number of hospital days	15,597
Number of hospital days patients were confined to bed	3,730
Number of meals served in bed	13,824

Before coming to the Sanatorium for treatment adult patients had been employed as follows: Bookkeepers, 4;

*Patients who have been without cough or sputum for six months in the Sanatorium.
†Patients who have been without cough or sputum for three months in the Sanatorium.

clerical workers, 4; housekeeper, 1; housewives, 12; infant's nurse, 1; interpreter, 1; lithograph worker, 1; newspaper writer, 1; nurse, 2; secretary, 1; school teacher 1; students, 2; title examiner, 1; waitress, 1; not stated, 1.

Of the sixteen cases discharged from the Children's Pavilion during the year there was evidence of tuberculosis of the hilum glands in each instance, as shown by the X-ray. In addition, four had definite physical signs in the chest. In eight others the history showed that they had been in contact with open cases of tuberculosis. In three others there were attendant troubles, one having tuberculosis of the skin, one bronchitis and one asthma.

The average age of the children was 9.8 years. The average gain in weight was 15.7 pounds. The greatest gain was $26\frac{3}{4}$ pounds, and no child lost weight.

No cases are admitted to the children's department that show any signs of open tuberculosis, and the Pavilion is so far removed from the main Sanatorium, where the adult cases are housed, that there is no possible danger of one department interfering in any way with the other.

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				Each Lung	Both Lungs					Max. Temp.	Previous Residence		
1507	A D	Moderately advanced Quiescent	P ₂ R ₂ A	R.L. L.	II I	4 mos. 22 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	84-98 88-110	100.2 99	+ 0	+ +	448 days 104 doses, 0.42 gm.
1527	A D	Moderately advanced Quiescent	P ₂ R ₂ A	L. L.	II II	3 mos. 15 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	70-88 80-84	98.6 98.2	+ 0	+ +	
1561	A D	Moderately advanced Quiescent	P ₂ R ₂ B	R.L. R.L.	II II	5 mos. 10 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	74-88 72-92	99 98.8	+ +	+ +	
1570	A D	Moderately advanced Quiescent	P ₂ R ₂ B	R.L. R.L.	II II	3 mos. 6 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	68-100 84-92	99.4 99.2	+ +	+ +	
1582	A D	Minimal P ₁ R ₁ Quiescent	P ₁ R ₁ B	L. L.	I I	12 mos. 15 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	64-86 76-92	99.2 99.2	+ 0	+ +	

5 cases quiescent.

No.	Condition		Symptoms	Extent of Physical Signs (Turban)		Dura- tion of Disease	General Condition	Digestion	Range of Pulse	Max. Temp.	T.B.		Tuberculin. Variety; Number of Days and Doses; Highest Dose in Grams
				Each Lung	Both Lungs						Previous Residence	Complica- tions	
1535	A D	Moderately advanced Improved	P ₂ R ₂ B	L. L.	II II	3 mos. 9 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Impaired	80-96 82-92	99.2 98	+	+	+
1562	A D	Moderately advanced Improved	P ₂ R ₂ A	R.L. R.L.	II II	24 mos. 29 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	92-96 90-92	98.4 99.8	+	+	0
1575	A D	Moderately advanced Improved	P ₂ R ₂ A	R. R.L.	II II	4 mos. 6 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	80-92 80-96	99.4 99.2	0	0	0
1594	A D	Moderately advanced Improved	P ₂ R ₂ A	R.L. R.L.	II II	19 mos. 21 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	86-96 80-92	98.6 98.6	+	+	+
4 cases improved.													
1502	A D	Far advanced Unimproved	P ₃ R ₃ B	R.L. R.L.	III III	11 mos. 22 mos.	Favorable Favorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	100-108 100-112	99.8 99.8	+	+	+
1557	A D	Moderately advanced Unimproved	P ₂ R ₂ A	L. L.	II II	1 mo. 11 mos.	Favorable Unfavorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	68-92 92-112	98.8 101	+	+	+
1565	A D	Far advanced Unimproved	P ₂ R ₂ B	R.L. R.L.	II II	24 mos. 26 mos.	Unfavorable Unfavorable	Unimpaired Unimpaired	92-108 100-110	99.8 101.6	+	+	+

TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Year Ended November 30, 1927

RECEIPTS

Investments	\$16,717.67	
Donations	13,991.52	\$30,709.19
Patients for Care	\$32,501.29	
Farm	275.72	
Medical Supplies	489.01	
Sundries	1,289.72	
	34,555.74	
Deficit charged to Reserve Account	2,503.55	\$67,768.48

PAYMENTS AT SANATORIUM

Wages	\$10,990.32	
Nurses	4,086.65	
Food	20,758.60	
Water and Ice	79.01	
Farm	877.66	
Household Supplies	2,954.65	
Fuel	3,908.77	
Electricity	600.13	
Medicines	550.90	
X-Ray	416.43	
Telephone	320.52	
Transportation	1,105.96	
Repairs	5,103.41	
Office and School	2,252.33	
Sundries	1,253.09	\$55,258.43

PAYMENTS BY TREASURER

Salaries for Administration . . .	\$4,800.00	
Publicity Service Bureau . . .	3,000.00	
Advertising	374.75	
Insurance	3,648.76	
Sundries	641.37	12,464.88
Deficit of Income from last year	45.17	\$67,768.48

Balance of Capital December 1, 1926 . . .	\$11,524.71	
Received from Robert H. Gardiner (Richardson Fund)	1,132.20	
Received from Friends of Lovering Fund .	110.00	
Received from Sale of pieces of Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Stock, Stone Fund . . .	130.82	
Received from Sale of 50 rts. N. Y. Central R. R.	302.40	\$13,200.13
Less:		
Commission a/c sale Temple Place Property (Richardson Fund)	\$904.81	
Paid for 1/2 share Pullman, Inc.	39.00	
Transferred to Income from Reserve Fund.	2,503.55	3,447.36
Balance on hand December 1, 1927		<u>\$9,752.77</u>



HOPES REALIZED

TRIAL BALANCE

November 30, 1927

100 shares	American Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$11,728.28
100 shares	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R.R.	13,750.00
50 shares	Boston & Albany R.R.	7,835.00
50 shares	Boston Elevated Ry. Com.	4,050.00
7 shares	Boston Elevated Ry. Pfd.	714.00
10 shares	Boston & Maine R.R., 1st Pfd. D.	1,500.00
5 shares	Boston Railroad Holding Co., Pfd.	370.00
50 shares	Boston Wharf Co.	5,850.00
10 shares	Dwelling House Associates	480.00
5 shares	Eastern Mfg. Co., 1st Pfd.	450.00
500 shares	General Electric Co., Special Stock	5,687.50
50 shares	Illinois Central R.R.	6,018.75
25 shares	Ludlow Mfg. Associates	4,218.75
10 shares	MacKay Companies Pfd.	700.00
50 shares	New York Central R.R.	6,528.85
20 shares	Northern R.R. Co., of N. H.	1,920.00
30 shares	Old Colony R.R.	3,600.00
2 shares	Providence Bldg. Co.	150.00
63 shares	Pullman, Inc.	4,476.50
2 shares	Pureoxia Co.	25.00
50 shares	Real Estate Associates	3,725.00
50 shares	Union Pacific R.R.	7,343.75
125 shares	United Fruit Co.	10,272.50
120 shares	United Shoe Machinery Corp.	4,847.50
2 shares	Warren Chambers	110.00

BONDS

\$1,000.00	Allegheny Co. Pa.	\$990.00
12,000.00	American Tel. & Tel. Co., 4%	11,500.00
10,000.00	American Tel. & Tel. Co., 5½%	10,277.50
5,000.00	Appalachian Power Co.	5,037.50
5,000.00	Cleveland Electric Ill. Co.	5,225.00
1,000.00	Consolidated Ry. Co.	590.00
3,000.00	Edison Electric Ill. Co.	3,000.00
7,000.00	Electrical Securities Corp.	6,790.00
100.00	Eastern Mass. St. Ry.	71.00
5,000.00	Bell Telephone Co. of Pa.	4,940.97
4,000.00	Interboro Rapid Transit Co.	2,680.00
10,000.00	Minnesota Power & Light Co.	9,650.00
20,000.00	Northern Pacific Ry.	20,000.00
5,000.00	Oregon Short Line R.R.	4,500.00
8,000.00	Ohio Power Co.	7,180.00
13,000.00	Pacific Gas & Electric Co.	12,947.25
9,000.00	Seattle Electric Co.	9,000.00
50.00	U. S. Liberty Loan, 3rd	50.50
50.00	U. S. Liberty Loan 4th	51.50
10,000.00	Western Electric Co.	9,877.50
5,000.00	Western Union Tel. Co.	4,732.50
	Federal Street Real Estate	47,500.00
	State Street Real Estate	25,000.00
	Cash	8,920.56
	Dr. W. A. Griffin, Supt.	832.21

\$317,695.37

Sarah J. Curtis Fund . . .	\$2,000.00	Brought forward . . .	\$74,743.26
William Endicott Fund . .	13,753.79	Shaw Memorial Fund . . .	19,556.67
Felton Fund	2,000.00	Reserve Fund	50,214.22
Endowment Fund	46,638.74	Mary R. Richardson Fund	160,775.87
Maria D. Lockwood Fund	6,402.23	Mary Lowell Stone Fund .	6,440.35
Lovering Fund	3,948.50	X-ray Fund	5,965.00

Carried forward \$74,743.26 \$317,695.37

The Treasurer's Account was audited by Waldron H. Rand and Company, Certified Public Accountants, and found correct.

The list of donors and subscribers is omitted as a matter of economy.

THE DIRECTORS.



THE BEST OF ALL THE YEAR

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

BE It Known that whereas Alfred Bowditch, Nathaniel H. Stone, Alice M. Curtis, Olivia Y. Bowditch, Mary H. Denny, Vincent Y. Bowditch, Robert W. Lovett, L. Vernon Briggs and Reginald Gray have associated themselves with the intention of forming a corporation under the name of THE SHARON SANITARIUM, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a hospital for the treatment of persons afflicted with incipient pulmonary disease, and have complied with the provisions of the Statutes of this Commonwealth in such case made and provided, as appears from the certificate of the President, Treasurer, and Directors of said corporation, duly approved by the Commissioner of Corporations, and recorded in this office:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM M. OLIN, Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, do hereby certify that said Alfred Bowditch, Nathaniel H. Stone, Alice M. Curtis, Olivia Y. Bowditch, Mary H. Denny, Vincent Y. Bowditch, Robert Lovett, L. Vernon Briggs and Reginald Gray, their associates and successors, are legally organized and established as and are hereby made an existing corporation under the name of

THE SHARON SANITARIUM

with the powers, rights and privileges, and subject to the limitations, duties and restrictions which by law appertain thereto.

WITNESS my official signature hereunto subscribed, and the seal of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts hereunto affixed, this twenty-seventh day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

(Signed) WM. M. OLIN,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

[Seal]

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

BE It Known that whereas THE SHARON SANITARIUM, a corporation organized under the laws of this Commonwealth, and subject to the provisions of chapter one hundred and twenty-five of the Revised Laws, has complied with the provisions of chapter one hundred and nine of the Revised Laws, as appears from the certified copy of the order of the Commissioner of Corporations, authorizing said corporation to change its name and adopt the name of THE SHARON SANATORIUM and the certificate of the President, Treasurer, and Directors of said corporation, duly filed in this office pursuant to the provisions of section ten of the aforesaid chapter one hundred and nine of the Revised Laws.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM M. OLIN, Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, do hereby certify that the name which said corporation shall bear is

THE SHARON SANATORIUM

which shall hereafter be its legal name.

WITNESS my official signature hereunto subscribed, and the Great Seal of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts hereunto affixed, this seventeenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and four.

[SEAL]

(Signed) WM. M. OLIN,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts }
Suffolk, ss. }

March 16, 1922.

A true copy.

Attest:

HARRY L. PILKINGTON,
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 23, 1926.

BY-LAWS OF THE SHARON SANATORIUM

ARTICLE I.

The Corporation shall be composed of those persons signing the articles of association and of such persons as they or their successors shall elect to be members.

ARTICLE II.

The annual meeting of the Corporation shall be held on the second Wednesday of December in each year at such time and place in the city of Boston as the President, or in default of appointment by him the Secretary, may appoint, and notice of the said meeting shall be sent to the members at least seven days before the meeting.

Special meetings of the Corporation shall be called by the President or Secretary by three days' notice in writing.

Five members shall constitute a quorum at all meetings of the Corporation.

ARTICLE III.

The officers of the Corporation shall be a President, Secretary, Treasurer, and not less than four nor more than eight directors at large, who shall serve for one year and until others shall be elected in their stead. The said officers shall constitute a Board of Directors, and shall have full power and authority to manage the affairs of the Corporation subject to such regulations and restrictions as the members at meetings of the Corporation may from time to time establish.

ARTICLE IV.

The Board of Directors shall have power to take any measures which they may deem expedient for encouraging subscriptions, donations, and bequests to the Corporation; to enter into and bind the Corporation by such compacts and engagements as they may deem advantageous; to appoint from time to time such agents or committees as they shall think proper to attend to the practical details of the working of the hospital or to oversee and superintend the same; to appoint or engage the physicians, surgeons, matrons, attendants, and servants employed in the hospital and define their duties; and this power they may delegate to any of the committees above referred to, if they shall see fit so to do.

The Board of Directors may fill all vacancies in the Board up to the limit in numbers authorized by these By-Laws.

Three members shall constitute a quorum at all meetings of the Directors.

There shall be meetings of the Directors quarterly, on the second Wednesday of March, June, September, and December. Special meetings of the Directors shall be called by the Secretary.

ARTICLE V.

The President shall preside at all meetings of the Corporation and Directors. In his absence a President *pro tempore* shall be chosen.

ARTICLE VI.

The Treasurer shall receive and have the custody of all moneys, deeds, and securities of the Corporation, which he shall keep and manage under the control of the Board of Directors or any committee of the Board. He shall pay no moneys but by order of the Board of Directors or their committees.

ARTICLE VII.

The Secretary shall attend all meetings of the Corporation and Directors and keep a record of the proceedings of each meeting in a book kept for that purpose; she shall give notice of all meetings of the Corporation, as is provided in Article II, and of all meetings of the Directors.

ARTICLE VIII.

The property of this Corporation shall not be alienated, nor shall any real estate be purchased except with the consent of a majority of all the Directors.

ARTICLE IX.

These By-Laws may be altered or amended at any meeting of the Corporation by a vote of two-thirds of the members present at such meeting.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts }
Suffolk, ss.

A true copy.

Attest:

HARRY L. PILKINGTON,
Notary Public.

January 17, 1921.

THE SHARON SANATORIUM

SHARON, MASSACHUSETTS

Its immediate needs

1. Contributions, both large and small, to defray the running expenses of maintenance, repairs, etc.

2. Contributions to the Endowment Fund, which now amounts to about \$307,000. It is suggested that endowment funds for beds in the Women's Department and Children's Building be given in memory of relatives or friends. The income from \$20,000 will provide a free bed for a deserving patient. Smaller funds as endowments would be gratefully received as an aid to the same purposes.

3. Special sums for the maintenance of the X-ray Department—one of the most important features of the Sanatorium.

Where a gift is made to the Sanatorium, the income of which is to be used for the maintenance of a free bed the following form of receipt, if desired, will be given:

Received of.....
of.....the sum of..... Dollars
to be held and invested as a permanent fund, the income therefrom to be applied for the maintenance of a free bed in the Sanatorium of this Corporation, to be known as the.....Bed.

FORM OF BEQUEST

I give, devise and bequeath unto the Sharon Sanatorium in Sharon, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, its successors and assigns, the sum of.....
.....Dollars.

